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Dear Sir:

Subject to the approval of the Examiner in charge of this Application, please enter the attached four (4) sheets of formal drawings (Figures 1-2C) in place of the informal drawings submitted with the Application as originally filed. These Drawings are submitted in response to the Notice Regarding Drawings dated May 9, 2006 and due for response on or before July 9, 2006 (copy attached). Applicants submit that the instant Application and Drawings are now fully acceptable under 37CFR 1.84 and 1.152.

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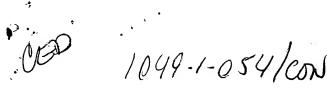
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Corrected drawings for the above-identified application, received in the USPTO on __04/21/2004__ are still not acceptable for the reason(s) identified on the attached PTO-948. Applicant is given one opportunity to correct the informalities within a two-month time period from the mailing date of this Notice. THIS TIME PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE UNDER EITHER 37 CFR 1.136(a) OR 1.136(b). Failure to take corrective action within the set period will result in abandonment of the application.

ATTACHMENT: PTO-948 Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Review Nhan Tang -703-305-0333 - Ext. 132

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A approved by the Draftsperson under 37 CFR 1.84 or	
B objected to by the Draftsperson under 37 CFR 1.84 or 1.152 for the reasons indicated below. Corrected	
drawings are required.	
1. DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.84(a): Acceptable	8. ARRANGEMENT OF VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(i)
categories of drawings: Black ink or	Words do not appear on a horizontal, left-to-right
Color (3 sets required).	fashion when page is either upright or turned so
Color drawings are not acceptable until petition is	that the top becomes the right side, except for
granted. Fig(s)	graphs. Fig(s)
Pencil and non black ink not permitted. Fig(s)	9. SCALE. 37 CFR 1.84(k)
2. PHOTOGRAPHS. 37 CFR 1.84(b)	Scale not large enough to show mechanism
One (1) full-tone set is required. Fig(s)	without crowding when drawing is reduced in
Photographs may not be mounted. 37 CFR 1.84(e)	size to two-thirds in reproduction.
Photographs must meet paper size requirements of	Fig(s)
37 CFR 1.84(f). Fig(s)	10. CHARACTER OF LINES, NUMBERS, &
Poor quality (half-tone). Fig(s)	LETTERS. 37 CFR 1.84(1)
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Paper not flexible, strong, white, and durable.	well defined, clean, durable, and black (poor line
Fig(s)	quality). Fig(s) (-2)
Erasures, alterations, overwritings. interlineations,	11. SHADING. 37 CFR 1.84(m)
folds, copy machine marks not accepted.	Solid black areas pale. Fig(s)
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4. SIZE OF PAPER: 37 CFR 1.84(f): Acceptable	12. NUMBERS, LETTERS, & REFERENCE
sizes:	CHARACTERS. 37 CFR 1.84(p)
21.0 cm by 29.7 cm (DIN size A4) or	Numbers and reference characters not plain and
21.6 cm by 27.9 cm (8 1/2x 11 inches)	legible. Fig(s) $\sqrt{-2}$
All drawing sheets not the same size.	Figure legends are poor. Fig(s)
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Drawings sheets not an acceptable size. Fig(s)	the same direction as the view. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(1)
5. MARGINS. 37 CFR 1.84(g): Acceptable margins:	Fig(s)
Top 2.5 cm Left 2.5 cm Right 1.5 cm Bottom 1.0 cm	English alphabet not used. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2)
Margins not acceptable. Fig(s)	Fig(s)
Top (T) Left (L)	Numbers, letters and reference characters must be
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6. VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(h)	1.84(p)(3). Fig(s)
REMINDER: Specification may require revision to	13. LEAD LINES. 37 CFR 1.84(q)
correspond to drawing changes, e.g., if Fig. 1 is	Lead lines missing. Fig(s)
changed to Fig. 1A, Fig 1B and Fig. 1C, etc., the	14. NUMBERING OF SHEETS OF DRAWINGS.
specification, at the Brief Description of the Drawings,	37 CFR 1.84(t)
must likewise be changed.	Sheets not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic
Views not labeled separately or properly. With by	numbers beginning with number 1. Sheet(s)
Fig(s)	15. NUMBERING OF VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(u)
7. SECTIONAL VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(h)(3)	Views not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic
	numerals, beginning with number 1. Fig(s) 1-2
Sectional designation should be noted with	
Arabic or Roman numbers. Fig(s)	16. DESIGN DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.152
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	Fig(s)
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